

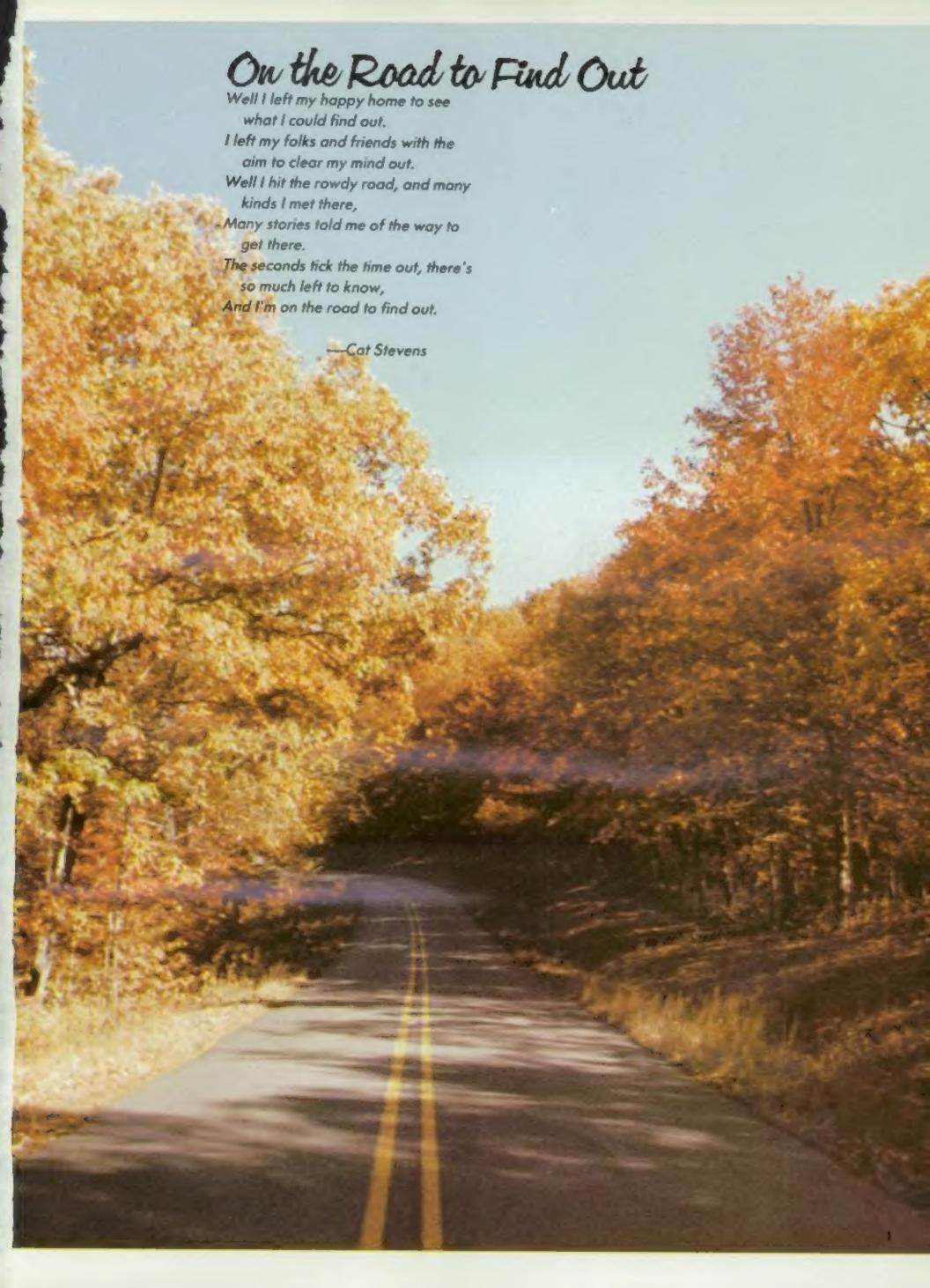
LISTEN TO THE MUSIC

COALDEN 79











If I could only remember what 4 × 1 is.



Math isn't fun even when you play games!



Everyone's stumped by the same problem.



My mother feeds me well.



. . but her hat's in the way.



I'm going to be like him when I grow up.



Future office manager.



If you make up this assignment, then . . .



You can't connect the dots that way!



I feel exposed without my hat.



Marie, the youngest kid of all.



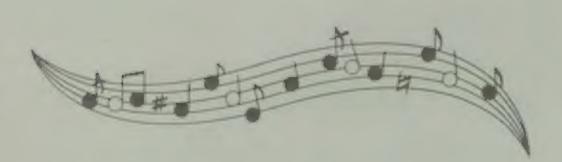
Who won the staring contest?







No, these aren't your Oreas.



"Sunshine on my shoulders

Makes me happy."

—John Denver



Music soothes the stomach.



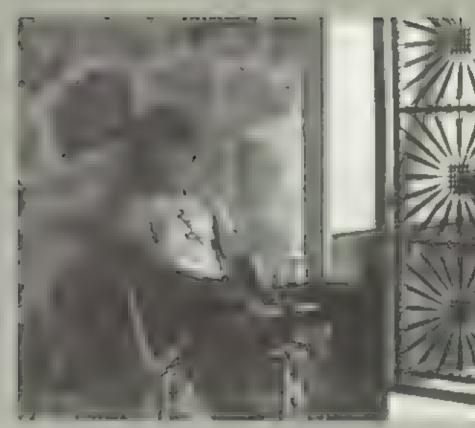
I'm invisible.



I refuse to have a good time.



Who you callin a wimpy thang?



Leave me alone, I'm having a crisis!



Looking onward nto battle



There s a bomb in there



Attendance, Marie, 1 out of 20 isn't bad.



Week-ends are made for Michelob



Marie, get this thing out of my class.



What really "goes on behind closed doors?"



Don't say a thing! Just put the answers in the bag.



"Thick as a brick."



Burned out on Math.



I can't believe she flicked her Bic.



Larry baffled by the dot-to-dot.



"Sounds of Silence"



Survival camp-out: "Desperadoes."



Five Easy Pieces



Emotionally constipated



Stop hen really gets into organic gardening



Shhhl Fred's concentrating Amozing!



Jon creates new math symbols.



Daniela on the Nie



When I open my eyes, Flanagan will have disoppeared.



I'm whistling, but where's Dixie?





Honza, though quiet, is Walden's resident linguist.



It's 10 05 and Chris should be . . .



Oh, no! Have I been caught again?



"One love, in my young life...



Write creatively about WHAT?





Turner Falls — "More than a trip!"



Primates



Going for Jaws III in Biology.



Through the looking glass.



"You sexy thing"



Gladwill's Girls



Pie are square.



"Old days, good times, we remember."



Someone get this off my face!

Hallage





BEAUTY AND THE BEAST

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I visited Walden one Halloween And saw stranger sights than I ever have seen, A mass of weird creatures stalking the halls, I saw everything from witches to dolls.

And as I crept down the long, damp hall I was seized by a vampire, ghastly and tall. Her cackling laughter shuddered deep in my bones. And as darkness closed in, I prayed to go home.

Sam was a gangster in the 1920's, If money was the question, he always had plenty. Robbing banks was his specialty, He pulled so many it was as if he had a key.

A red-caped sorcerer studied his books.
Had he marked Flanagan with those strange looks?
A ghastly white figure circled the room,
Its white face casting about looks of doom.

Linda was dressed for intensive combat. There was a brew boiling in a large val. I tasted the brew which was made for tea. Then I discovered that I could not see.

My face turned white like never before.
Shadows of figures grew on the floor.
Hands clasped my shoulders and turned me about,
Ending my life like a candle blown out.

Jana Caldwell Jenniger Keen Janice Redgate Beverly Robbins Linda Shasberger Sam Brown



CAPTANSC FI





Was it something I ate?





Grand prize for the First Annual Walden Halloween costume contest — Presented to Marie Loar who was dressed as (can you believe it?)

one of Hell's Angels.



High School Sweethearts!







YEARBOOK STAFF We did this thing! Blame us.

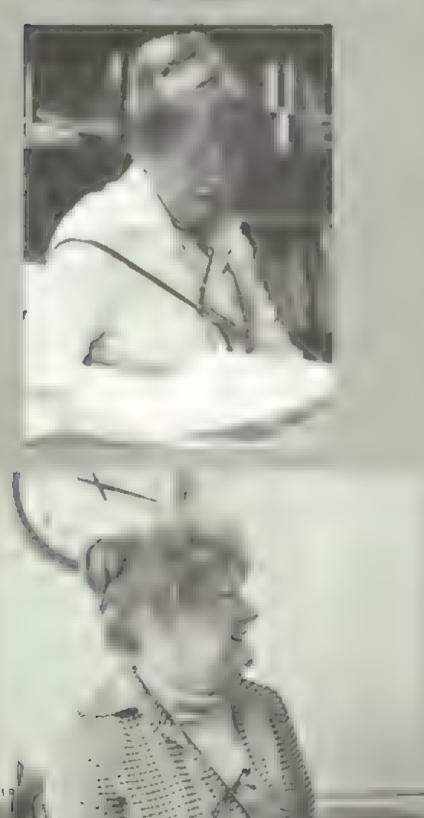


One of this year's greatest difficulties — getting the seniors out of the trees.





MAKIE LOAR DIRECTOR





"A letter - for Marie???"

Marie conceived and created Walden and has been the director for ten years now. When asked what her philosophy for the school is she says, "Learning cannot be meaningful until you know and like yourslef. Therefore, the student at Walden is valued and appreciated as a person and is given personal responsibility for learning."

Marie holds an A B. from William Jewell College, and M.ED. in counseling from N T.S.U., has done post-baccalaureate work at the University of Tulsa, University of Houston, and S.M.U. This year we are rooud to announce that Marie is a candidate for a PH.D. in secondary education from N.T.S.U.

Marie lists her hobbies as golf, cooking, and her grandchildren which take up, pleasantly, a great deal of her time.

"I'd rather be sorry for something I've done Than for something that I didn't do."

- Kris Kristofferson





WALLY .. NEBARGER



So ah s genno 'ove this'



"You broke whose poll?"



Smile!!

This is Wally's fourth year teaching art and ceramics, and he's added a Spanish class this year. Wally has an incredible amount of energy which he uses to sing in his car, dance in his bathroom, and roller-skate on the wheel in order to excite his students into working. Wally has a B.F.A. in Art Education and an M.F.A. in Art Education from S.M.U.

Wally's hobbies (and we quote) "are playing his guitar, writing music, cooking, laughing, singing in his car, water-skiing, jogging, and playing with Sarah," (Who's she?)

"My goal is to become the whole person God intended me to be - He may lead me to the highest peaks or through the darkest valley in order that I may know Him better . . . Walden has been a part of this process . . . tomorrow? I will tell you then."

"They say that these are not the best of times, But they're the only times I've ever known And I believe there is a time for meditation in cathedrals of our own . . . " - Billy Joel





KAREN DIANE HUNDAHL

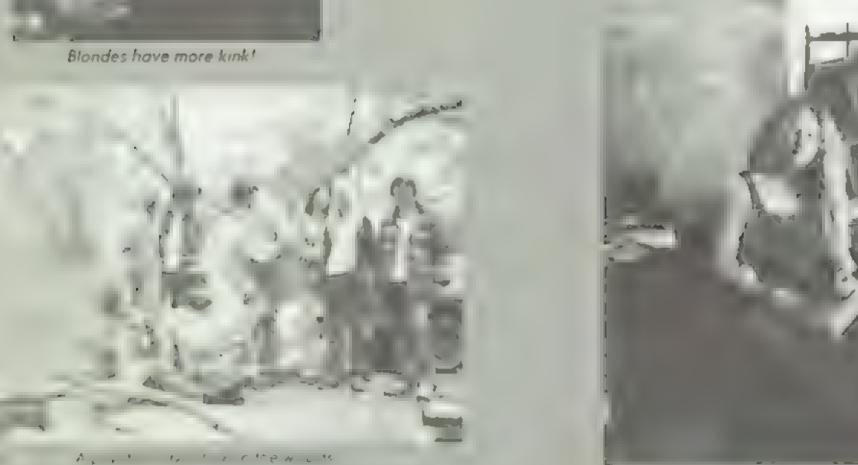




A warm fuzzy day in human development.

Completing two years as guidance counselor, and teaching human development and group dynamics, Karen has, among other things, designed a career guidance program. Karen has a 8.S. in Education and an M.Ed. in Counseling from N.T.S.U. Her most important contribution to Walden may be teaching people to be able to show more affection toward others and themselves. Karen enjoys camping, traveling, assertive training, growing plants, and spiritual development. Karen says her goals in this lifetime are to "attain a Ph.D. in Marriage and Family Counseling, get married, have one or two children, acquire peace of mind, continue to develop a changing variety of interests, continue to change, grow, evolve, and to learn more and more to love and accept others."

"There's a wide wide world of noble causes And lovely landscapes to discover." — Joni Mitchell





SANDI MCKEAN GOODIN



trea your pardon



Sandi teaches Debbie the art of typing.



This is Sandi's third year at Walden. She teaches English, language retraining, and coordinates the Wark Experience Program. She holds a B.A. in Psychology from Biola College and will receive her language therapist certification from Dean Memorial Learning Center and Scottish Rite Hospital in August, 1979. She's also working toward on M.S. in Special Education and Guidance Counseling from E.T.S.U

Sandi recently married Rick Goodin. They would like to have two children and redecorate an old house to live in. Some of Sandi's personal goals are to earn a Ph.D. in Psychology and be part of an educational and psychological clinic here or overseas. She would also like to travel around the world to learn about different lifestyles.

"Sometimes, not often enough
We reflect upon the good things
And our thoughts always center around
Those we love.

And we think about those people
Who mean so much to me
And for so many years have made me so
very happy.

And I count the times I have forgotten to say
Thank you, and just how much I love them."

— Carpenters



Ralph Waldo Emerson's biography





Steve that contre oft



"Uh-ohhh, Stephen!"



Steve's usually weird physics demo.

This makes three years at Walden for Stephen Houpt. He teaches math, physics, yoga, and gardening. Besides being head of the math department, Stephen designed his own physics course in which he uses practical demonstrations to illustrate the concepts covered every day. Stephen received a B.A. Degree in physics from Lafayette College and has done graduate work at U.T.D

Stephen's hobbies include yoga, gardening, taking walks, camping, writing poetry, and ping pong. He also plays the guitar, harmonica, and dulcimer.

His goals in life are "To take it as it comes and to attain enlightenment."

"May the long time sun shine upon you, all love surround you, and the pure light within you, guide your way on."

— The Incredible String Bond





LINDA SHASBERGER





The devil made me do it.



"But, Colleen, you can't write that for the year-book."

Somehow, Linda has been able to withstand Walden's insanity for an incredible nine years. She must have some kind of amazing patience. This year she's teaching English, creative writing, and filmmaking. She has a B.S. from Southwest Missouri University, an M.A. in English from N.T.S.U. and 25 hours toward a Ph.D. in Education from N.T.S.U.

Linda enjoys reading, writing, and learning with her young child, Jenni. Linda says, "I see vaguely a future of writing — maybe teaching in a college, but the image is vague because right now I'm content being where I am."

"I've been going for some time now.

Along the way I've learned some things.

You have to make the good times yourself —

Take the little times and make them into
big times,

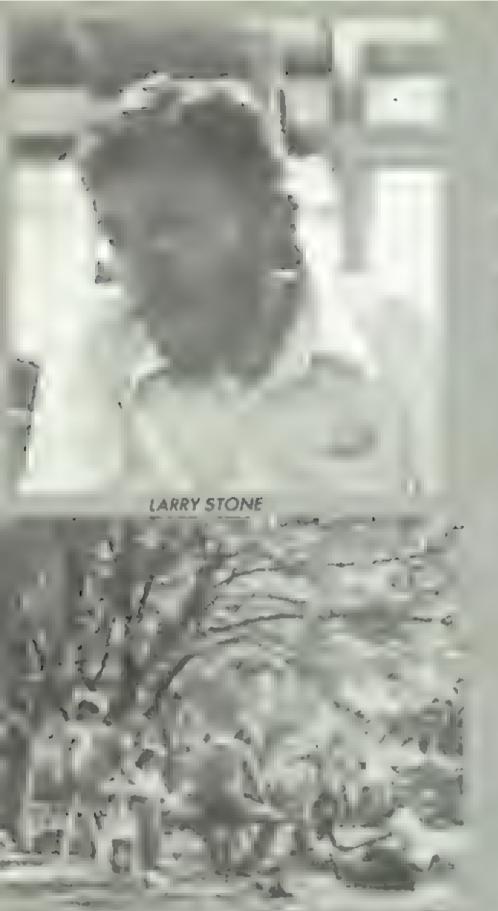
And save the times that are already

And save the times that are alright for the ones that aren't so good."

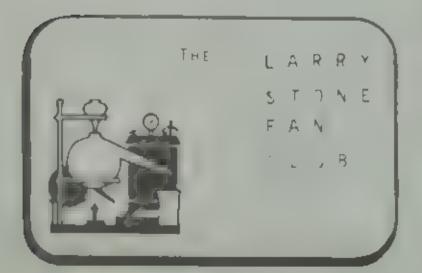
— Rod McKuen



ZZZ



Studying Biology from the outdoors in.





This is Larry's second year teaching at Walden. His classes include general science, biology, survival, math, metalogues, and woodworking. There's an underground movement organizing the Larry Stone fan Club — so far made up of the people he takes camping!? Besides spending a lot of time in the woods, Larry has done three years of graduate research at N.T.S.U. in microbiology.

In his spare time (when he's not writing lesson plans) he likes camping, woodworking, writing poetry, and reading. Goals in life? Larry says he would like to walk the Appalachian Trail, buy a few acres of timber land, and build his own house.

"There is no one who can show you the road you should be on.
They only tell you they can show you and then tomorrow they are gone."
— Judy Collins









Reading while asleep.



And they all lived happily everafter.

Paula started late this year (during the second quarter) taking up where Carlton left off teaching American history, and government. Paula came to Walden with a B A. in psycholagy, history, and English and an M.A. in secondary education from Austin College.

She enjoys reading, writing, poetry, and bowling. She also spends a lot of her time working toward a special reading certificate at N.T.S.U.

Paula hopes to teach kids and be happy (not necessarily in that order.)

"All I want is to never grow old." - Country Joe & The Fish



Carlton Meredith tought American History and Government first quarter.



MICHAEL FLANAGAN



The first quiet moment all day!



Taking Mike's desk is a school offence.

Michael has been at Walden for nine years teaching drafting and math. He also fills the very important position of being the school's business manager. In the past couple of years Michael has surprised us all with his very stronge sense of humor. What do you expect after nine years at Walden? Michael received his B.S. degree in industrial arts from N T.S U

Some of Michael's hobbies include reading, gardening, and drawing. He also works port-time at a bookstore. One of Michael's goals is to someday "open a little bookstore when I retire."

"I don't know much about algebra —
Don't know what a slide rule is for."

— Art Garfunkel



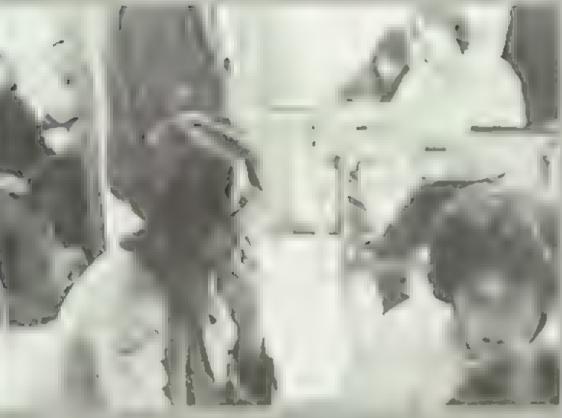
Drafting class



Thinking about money again!



SUSAN BOWYER



Camon Nie you can do !



"Let's see . . . for supper we can have but wings, corn sprouts



Susan Bowyer is teaching for her first time at Walden this year. She teaches math. Her strong point seems to be getting students motivated in math. She received a 8.A. in psychology and biology from Southwestern University and an M.S. in counseling and guidance from E.T.S.U. She is working toward an Ed.D. in counseling at E.T.S.U.

Susan had a six-year-old child, Shannon, and enjoys backpacking, canoeing, swimming, bicycling, playing pool, growing sprouts, jamming, natural cooking, and telepathy.

Susan says, "I want to become experienced in other cultures through travel, and I want to live in the mountains by the sea samewhere and raise my family with goats, doves, honey bees, and gardens to allow us the uninterrupted practice of creative living and spiritual richness."

"And take me down to the harbor now
Grapes of the summer are low on
the bough
Ghosts of my history will follow me
there
And the winds of the old days will
blow through my hair."
— Joan Baez



"That was gross!!"





Pamala has been at Walden for four years. She teaches photography, world history, English, yearbook, and photoart. She has a B.A. in English literature from the University of Houston, and is working toward an M.A. in counseling from E.T.S.U.

Although she spends most of her time trying to undermine the workings of the Larry Stone Fan Club and singing harmony with Wally in his car, Pamala likes to read, camp, listen to music, and write poetry. She also leads a feminist consciousness raising group at the federal prison in Ft. Worth, Her goals? She says, "To be happy, to continue teaching young people, to live in the country in my own home, and to work toward the goal of all human beings being assured of equal rights. To be able to say when I die that I helped to assure those rights to all people — women, men, and children. To be able to say that my life was significant in bringing about some positive changes."

"In search of love and music
My whole life has been
Illumination
Corruption
And diving, diving, diving,
Diving down to pick up an every shiny thing
Just like that black crow flying
In a blue, blue sky."

- Joni Mitchell











Underclass-Persons







NEIL MORROW



CAHLEMEMANUS



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KEVIN CASSELL



CHUCK RASH



JENNIFER KEEN



CHRIS JORDAN



SUSAN THAYER



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CHRIS KEEN



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DAVID PHILLIPS



LARRY GARLAND



BRAD HOLMAN



RON MILLS



JON PRATT



JULIA MUNDEN



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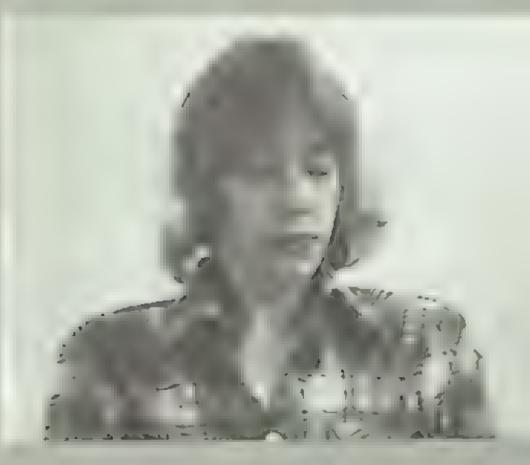


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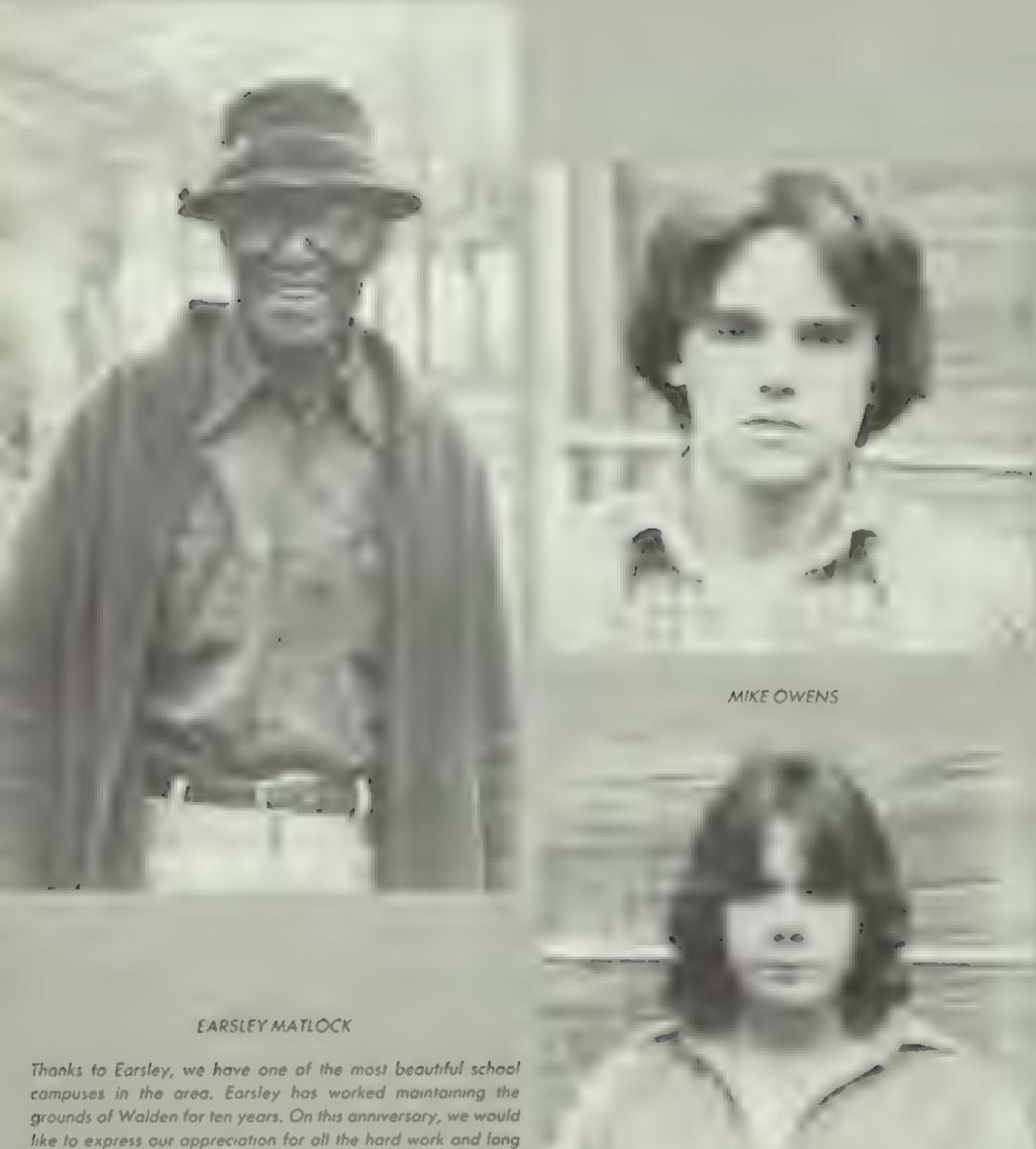
STEVE PARKER



MIKE GLOVER



GEORGE ANTON



like to express our appreciation for all the hard work and long hours which go unapplauded, but by no means unnoticed.

TIM HAWKINS



We Worked in Groups



We Worked Alone



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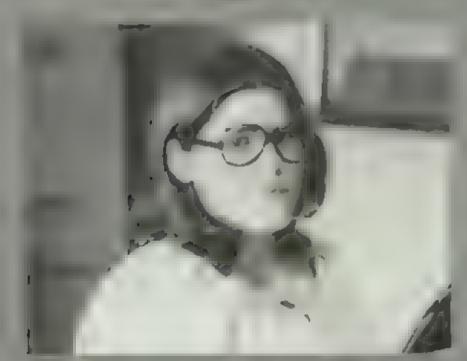
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We Got Away From It All at Times



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We Created and Expressed Ourselves



Larry is this the science of trein analysis?



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Ron and his painting



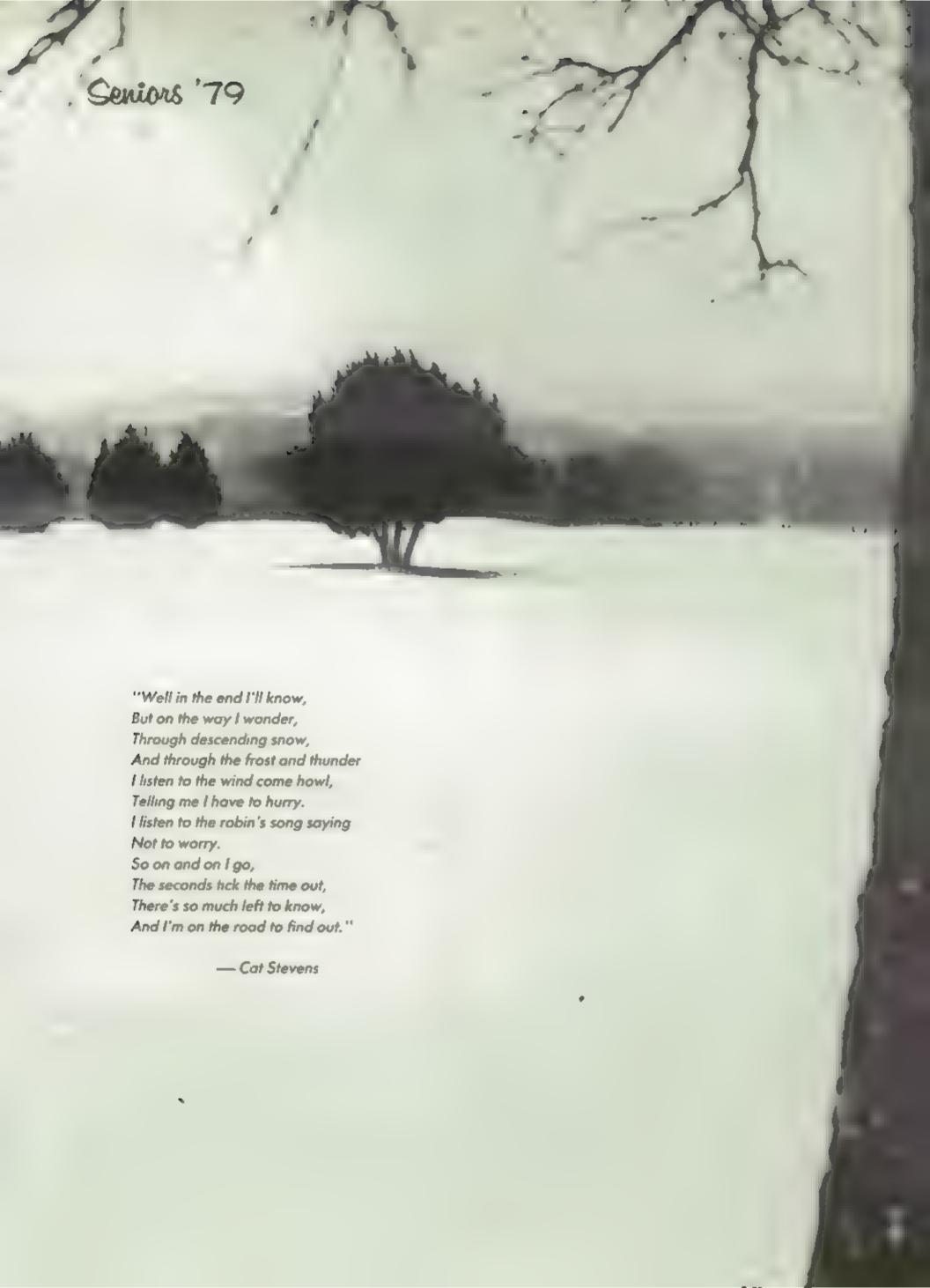


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FRED F STHER

"And the meek shall inherit the earth."

- Rush



STEPHEN CHANDLER

"I'd love to change the world but I don't know what to do."



DENISE BULOW

"It's just that evil life that's got me in its sway."

- Rolling Stones



WILSON STOUT

"You can't always get what you want."

- Mick Jagger



TOM IRWIN

"Moving to Montana soon
Going to be a dental floss tycoon."

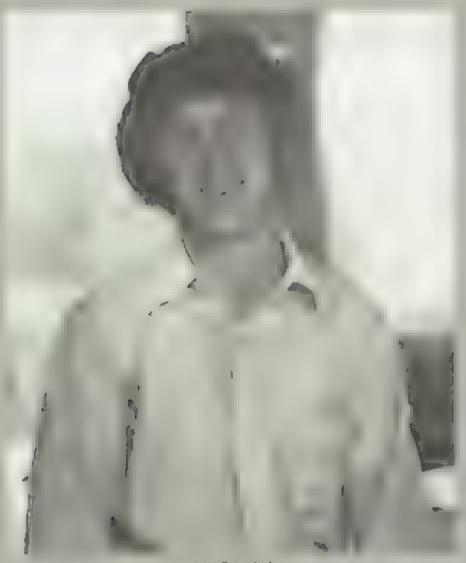
— Frank Zappa



BEVERLY ROBBINS

"You can't always get what you want."

- Rolling Stones



NILE LAW

"Ramble on"

--- Led Zeppelin



GREG KAUT

"Substitution, mass confusion It all clouds inside your head."

— The Cars



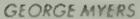
STEVE DAVIS

"Has the dawn ever seen your eyes, Has the truth made you so unwise Realize you are."

- Greg Lake

"I will remember you Your silhouette will charge the view of different atmospheres."

- Jon Anderson



"Cloaked in twilight lost Unheeded cries fall still Facades lay scarred and bare We stand worlds apart,"

> - Mike Clay Steve Porker



JON PRICE

"Sing with me, sing for the year,
Sing for the laughter, sing for the tears.
Sing with me just for today, maybe tomorrow
the good Lord will take you away.

Dream on, dream yourself a dream come true."

- Steven Tyler





SUSIE RUFUS

"There are places I'll remember
All my life, though some have changed,
Some forever not for better
Some have gone and some remain
All these places had their moments
With lovers and friends, I still can recall,
Some are dead and some are living
In my life I've loved them all."

— John Lennon Paul McCartney

DIXIE McDANIEL

"Riding the storm out
Waiting for the fall out
On a full moon's night — waiting for the snow
Thinking about what I've been missing in the city
I'm not missing a thing — ridin' free on the wing
Watchin' the full moon fall in the rain."

- REO Speedwagon





JANA CALDWELL

"They say do your best, but don't cause a fuss.

Don't make waves be like the rest of us. But I can feel the tide is turning fast, And deep inside I know that I can't last Another day."

- Styx



PIE RUTLEDGE

"Time is too slow for those who wait,
Too swift for those who fear,
Too long for those who grieve,
Too short for those who rejoice,
But for those who love,
Time is not."

- Henry Van Dyke



"Gonna play a little rock 'n' roll yeah Got nothing to lose but the rhythm and blues,

LKAOW

To lift you up and take you away."

- Boston





ANDY GOLDMAN

"I remember the good of days, Stayed up all night, got in a craze. Then the money was not so good But we still did the best we could — Walk on."

- Neil Young

CAMERON MURRAY

"Ever since I was a baby girl Wanted one thing most in this world Was to keep my lovin", Keep my love alive."

- Heart



MIKE PRESTRIDGE

"On a sailing ship to nowhere Leaving anyplace If the summer changes to winter Yours is no disgrace."



DANIELA IMBER

"You see things as they are, And you ask 'Why?' But I dream things that never were, And I ask, 'Why not?' "

- Bobby Kennedy





JOHN PRATT

"Seagulls sing your heart away,
"Cause while sinners sin,
The children play,
Oh Lord, how they play."

- Cat Stevens

DEBBIE OWEN

"It's been a long time since I rock and rolled, It's been a long time since I did the stroll. Ooh let me get it back, let me get it back, baby, where I come from. It's been a long time, been a long lonely, lonely time, yes it has. It's been a long time since the book of love I can't count the tears of a life with no love. Carry me back, baby, where I come from."

- Led Zeppelin





SHELL COX

"In the shadow of love
Time goes by leaving me helpless
Just to reach and try
To live my life
These are my reasons,"

- Journey

MARY WHITLOW

"Come the morning I'll be far from here Stowly rising In another sphere."

- Cat Stevens



SHERRY CARLYSLE

"If I could sit beside myself
Would I see me or maybe someone else.
Cuz it's hard to please most everyone
When your spirit's got you on the run.
I'm o.k. this way,
Yes, I'm o.k."

— Styx

SAM BROWN

"I believe there's a best of both worlds
Mixing old and new
Recognizing change is seldom expected
As I long suspected
They believe that strange is a word
for wrong
But not in my song."

- Paul Williams







BRAD TUBRE



JANICE REDGATE



CARRIE WARREN



THE SOUND OF ONE HAND CLAPPING

I have a stack of
books about religion.
It's almost two feet high.
I'll take them all
and toss them on the floor.
It's time to go out
and look at the moon.

— Stephen Houpt



Silkscreen by Kevin Cassell



Photograph by Jon Lacey

I entered, stared, and realized that I was not Different from the rest, no body was. We all seemed To be brothers and sisters, sharing an illusion Together. Not caring what each other looked Like, nor what each other felt, we were here Waiting for the illusion to begin. The music started, I sank in my chair. I felt Happiness surround me, laughter echoed in my Ears.

It had begun, silence broke, and music Played mellow in my soul. It was not long before my body left me, and Projected itself on the stage. I played, for what seemed like minutes, but Hours had passed.

I lent my voice to the crowd, my people, my Brothers, the public, they answered my songs by Standing, clapping, and yelling for more. Lights kept on flashing in my face, shining on me As if they were proving to the crowd that this Is what they came for.

I dared not stop, for I may disappoint my Brothers. I had put myself here and now, I had To do what I came for, prove myself, and not Destroy the illusion that everyone so eagerly waited for.

Now I was a god, not a brother, but someone They all looked up to.

Then, my music ended.

Proud of myself for proving to myself that I was capable

I looked at them, they looked at me, shouting, and Raising their hands, begging for me to play one More.

I bowed, then I lifted my head, and in raising My arms I yelled:

"You're beautiful, Love you all."
And then disappeared into the fog.

— Jennifer Keen 1-6-79 Noise, noise, noise
All I hear is noise
The usual depressing city noises,
Cars hanking, construction going on everywhere,
Traffic noises, the spine-tingling sound of
Metal on Metal,
Seeing actual human lives being taken in
Car accidents every day.
It's gotten so that you can scarcely hear
The birds anymore for all the gloomy
City noises.

Almost all cities are drowning in cement Now.

About the only grass you see in a city Anymore is either astro-turf or it's in Your own backyard.

When will this society release me from My prison of cement?
Oh how I long to hear the soothing Country sounds
The mooing of the cows,
The call of the coyates,
And the gently neighing of a horse in its Stall instead of in a hunk of dog Food.

Instead of longing to see more apartments
And department stores being built,
These big presidents of companies should
Long to smell wheat just after it's been
Harvested, to see a calf becoming strong,
That you helped deliver.

Man, just imagine being awakened at Dawn by a rooster, Starting your day when the sun starts its.

You could find such peace of mind in the country.

I can tell you right now, it would be a Lot better to look out your bedroom Window and see a vast space of land That you own, than to see a vast Space of brick wall that some jerk Owns.

If for ance someone would follow A dream or two, instead of living Of living on a routine timeclock, maybe The world would be a lot better.

Oh what it would be like to be free.

- Dixie Lynn McDaniel



Pencil Drawing by Sam Brown



I've entered a place that's too incredible to believe, A school where a person is actually set free. Where the people are allowed to be what they feel, And playing hooky doesn't make out as such a big deal.

You're treated individually not as a number on a list, And graded on achievements not how many days you've missed. And the battles which are few usually end up in a joke, Unless caught by Mane while going out for a toke.

The relaxed atmosphere, it sets you at ease, You don't feel pressured you can do what you please. And the pride in public schools is left to be undane, By the pride these students here in Walden, where they learn and have fun.

- Jana Caldwell







Pencil Drawing by Beverly Robbins

Bare tree, you stand there, as though you
Were waiting for the rain to come and a
Unbury your roots, carry you away.
Standing there, as though you wished to die,
As so many of your companions have done,
Giving up on life, and failing to accept what
This world brings to you,
feeling sorry for yourself, because your children
The leaves, have all fallen at your feet, and slowly
Taken by the wind.
If you give up now you'll become one more
Of the cut down trees that lay waiting to
Suffer in the blazing flames of a fireplace.

- Jennifer Keen

You, whose sleeping forms stir so much, For you there'll always be tomorrow. It's two in the morning And you're finally asleep All curled up around me And the fire we built this afternoon. Just me, and the wilder ones Are left still awake Listening to the wind Shake the loblolly pines Which are steadily climbed by the moon. Nothing lasts forever. Now I hear the river On its way to the Sabine And 'coons fishing hard In the freezing water. And in this I am alone. It's a hard thing to share. How a murky river can be A puddle of moonlight And cold nights make the stars twice bright. Or how a deer's death is not ugly Because of the bugling wolves. Perhaps we no longer need learn How unforgiving the earth is — Yet constant and elegant. A lesson our ancestors learned repeatedly. And it's here, right here. We are quests in a bit of eternity.

> - Larry Stone 2-18-79



Photography by Pamala Ezell



Silkscreen by Janice Redgate

Whose child is this, cried the robin to the tree?
He has no cover to warm his flesh.
Is this what humans call free?
He's thin and looks hungry, and there's dirt on His face, who would leave him to starve,
What a human disgrace.
He's weak now, and he wanders, he's lost now He falls, aren't humans ashamed, is it no Concern to them at all?
We mourn now the death, of this unwanted Child, uncared for by humans. He died with A smile.

— Jennifer Keen

Pride

Pride quickens the heart.

Fools that fear dedication shrink from the word

For they will accomplish nothing.

Pride breaks love.

Fools that hate destroy the unity of love
For they will distract from accomplishment.

Pride goes on with the absence of such fools,

As it has in the past with love —

As it will in the future, with dedication.

- Cheryl Dunphy

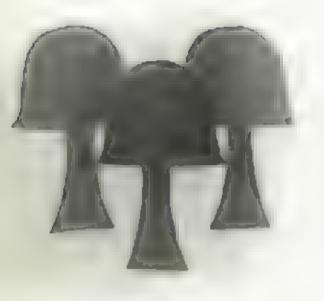


Photo Silkscreen by David Phillips

I saw a child laugh today without a care in the world He acted as if there wasn't a cloud in the sky it was raining Children are free and easy they don't get depressed They don't need to go on a high to get away from reality for a while To them their reality is a high one big natural high But when they become adults they start receiving problems of their own As well as from friends, society, politicians, and worst of all, the world That's when they begin to doubt some things they learned in school, especially the one about life, living, and the pursuit of happiness How can they enjoy these privileges with all these problems weighing them down

I wish I was a child again

- Dixie Lynn McDaniel



Photo Silkscreen by Jennifer Keen

I read they've found a double star (even published its picture) Composed in two parts: One brilliant blue and pulsing, One dark with awesome energy. And the luminous energy of one Feeds the dark strength of the other, While its mass draws them together Causing the first to pulse. Twinned now, and bound In time to become one. Proving to me, that better symbols May be found than those contrived. From now on, I will think Of a special sort of love whenever I catch a star quietly pulsing.

-Larry Stone



Silkscreen
by Beverly Robbins

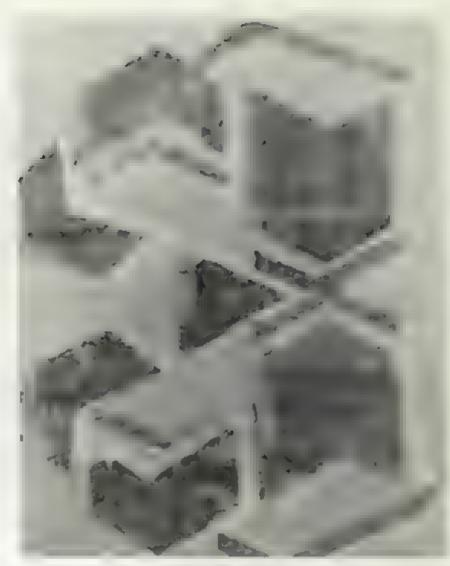


Photo silkscreen by Scott Massey

There's someone here to listen
No matter what I say
If I'm wrong then I'm corrected
In a gentle sort of way —
No one hurts my feelings
They know. We all can't be the same
I'm respected for the man I am
But reminded I can change —
Teachers can relate to me
They show me how they feel
Make me understand them
Help me to figure what is real —
I remember reading "Love Your School"
many years ago

I wonder if I'd finish
Cause it really hurt to go —
But before I saw the problem
Someone had a dream
After hope and dedication
Walden, came to be.
Now that I am moving an
I hope that you all know
Walden's a special place for me
And my love can only grow.

— Andy Brewster

Water

Water is cool
clear and
blue
Refreshing in its effect
Water running
through a
mountain stream it
looks
like
Inviting pleasure at
your feet

— Dixie Lynn McDaniel



Photograph by Pamala Ezell



Pencil and Ink Drawing by Ray Gressett

Some — an old man — stood behind a podium And smilingly assured his listeners that these times were only a phase they would pass youth would age idealism would fade into conformity I became angry and then I laughed the old man was a blind fool We were going to change the world — This time. I think of you, old man — Standing in the flourescent supermarket aisle weighing the price of grapefruit with the same fervor I once gave to thoughts of war and peace and love and human freedom. The Age of Aquarius is an old song. Oh, I like to think I'm . . . And in the comers of my mind I still cling with slipping fingers

And in the comers of my mind
I still cling with slipping fingers
to a fading image
Of a better world
With better people
And flowers — Lots of flowers
Oh — and I still wear my "peace" ring
(but then it's too tight to remove)

No wonder you were smiling, Mister — You knew.

--- Linda Shasberger

I cried on your shoulder
That once . . .
That evening, with that music
And in that light
All was clear to me, finally,
In that lightlessness.
Funny, but the blue rose
Faded and gathered dust —
It became clear, finally.

- Pamala Ezell



Silkscreen by Fred Fischer

Inoticed you, Walking down the street I stared at you, You seemed much different than others to me. I thought of you, You seemed to have failed in making your life The way you wanted it to be I have hurt you, Ignored you And now you seek revenge. Hooked for you And found you everywhere. I have studied you, And found you are the same as me. You are my brother, But you are black.

> — Jennifer Keen 2-15-79

Lonely

To be lonely,
What does it mean?
Aloneness, self-pity?
I don't understand.
I'm loved, and I love,
But I'm still lonely.
Why must I live by myself,
And sleep alone?
It's not fair.
It wasn't meant to be this way,
Or was it?
I don't understand,
Whatever it is,
I will find it,
But I will find it alone.

- Colleen Sullivan



Photograph by Pamala Ezell

A Summertime Love

That first time she saw him And he saw her Was when all the flowers were in bloom The birds were singing and it seemed you could see every blade of grass grow Their love for each other bloomed and grew as if it were a part of nature herself Hand in hand and heart and heart their love for each other Their kind of love is everlasting These two people were in an eternal love They will always care for each other When that summer ended for everyone else Their special summer went on forever

— Dixie Lynn McDaniel



Collage by Susan Smothers



Copper Enamel by Storey Norton

In the last of all clouds
The stone with the star runs round
Pulling sadness down
The way the wind blows
The way the rain
Fall's the best time of the year.

Flashes of slate run
From your eyes
But once there I realize
It's not the keeping
But the getting
Close to the edge.

One thin band
Between the violet and gold
Warns of stones, tales too-told
For another ambition
For lost chances at
Cantering, the dream ran away.

Venetian slats against the sun Allow the glimmers and peals Of not-ones, shrill's The message for all listening Without the strain of Hearing the symphony, I slept.

— Pamala Ezeli



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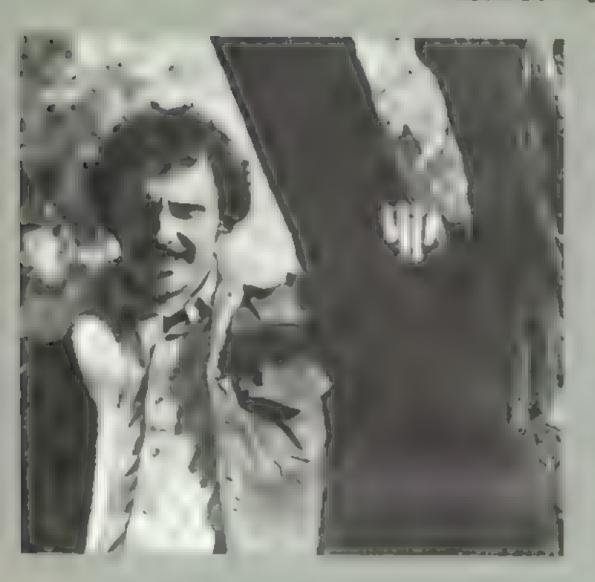
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Wally Linebarger

After having taught at Walden for faur years, we have come to both respect Wally for his integrity and appreciate him for his genuine humor and compassion. No one makes us laugh more or work harder to achieve the goals we choose. We thank you, Wally, for allowing us the opportunity to get to know you and to love you. And we thank you for loving us.

Linda Shasberger

There's often one teacher who stands out in the memories of those of us who have the opportunity to experience Walden. For many past graduates and for those of us on this year's annual staff, that teacher will certainly be you. We can never express adequately the appreciation we feel for you because you were truly yourself and always honest and caring. You have touched our lives and we are grateful. We love you









